## Whale of a Tale

Got a whale of a tale to tell you lads, a whale of a tale or two, 'Bout the floppin' fish and the girls I've loved, On nights like this with the moon above, A whale of a tale and it's all true, I swear by my tattoo.

= Chorus

There was a mermaid Minnie, Met her down in Madagascar. She would kiss me, Anytime that I would ask her. Then one evening Her flame of love blew out Blow me down and pick me up She swapped me for a trout.

## (Chorus)

There was a typhoon Tessie Met her on the coast of Java When we kissed, I'd Bubble up like molten lava. Then she gave me The scare of my young life Blow me down and pick me up She was the Captain's wife.

## (Chorus)

There was a harpoon Hannah
Had a face that made you shudder
lips like fish hooks
And a nose just like a rudder
If I kissed her
and held her tenderly
There's no sea monster big enough
to ever frighten me.

## (Chorus)